



# ***Knights of Columbus***

## ***Pope Pius XII Council***

### **4962**

**Serving St. Bernadette and Our Lady of Lourdes Parishes**

**MARCH  
2017**

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#### **Grand Knight's**

#### **Message**

**Mike Sweetland**

### **Brother Knights**

Lent is upon us and we started it off in awesome fashion with the St Joseph's table! Unbelievable how much food was there! That's another mile or two of running for me...all you can eat pasta, baked goods, and....canolis, holy canoli those were good. I want to pay special thanks to all the members of Pius Holding's board that have graciously offered to have Our Lady of Lourdes' St Joseph's table at our Hall. It was also amazing to see so many St Bernadette's Parishoners down at the hall helping. It's this kind of community that I so want to encourage. Thanks to everyone that helped set up, serve and clean up!

So we start off Lent with food, we have food in the middle of Lent and we have food at the end of Lent...so stop on down at the hall from 5:00-7:30 p.m on Fridays for our annual Fish Fries! Unless it's the 17th of March and St Patrick's Day...then stop in for lunch too!!! We'll be serving Corned Beef and Cabbage on Friday March 17th as Bishop Johnston has provided the diocese with special dispensation to eat meat that day! We look forward to having you for lunch AND dinner that day for all the corned beef and cabbage you can eat...while the name Sweetland is English, the name O'Moyles and Halpin is very Irish thanks to my grandmothers' for those names and the love of all things Irish!

Just to catch you up on some of the other events that we have upcoming. In April, on the 25th, we are going to be working with HALO to provide homeless teens with information and skills about jobs that our members are doing each and every day. From Handymen to Web Page Developers, from Auto Mechanics to Military members our Council has a large and very diverse work history. We are going to share that work history with homeless teens on Tuesday, April 25th from 6:00-7:30 p.m. The teens will sign up for further opportunities to work in the field upon the conclusion of the job information sharing to see what it's really like to turn a wrench, create a web page or build a lamp. If you have a job skill that you'd like to share with these teenagers, just email me.

We are looking for members that want to volunteer their time to leading our council. We have elections coming up in a few months and we'd like to get our new slate of officers ready as soon as possible. If you're interested, let me or any other officer know and we'll get you on the list. We have several positions that we'd like names for: Deputy Grand Knight, Chancellor, Warden, Inside Guard, Outside Guard. If you are already in one of these positions, you're already nominated. Less work for you! If you'd like to be in one of these positions, just let me know.

In April (22-24), we have our State Convention in Jefferson City. Myself and Jerry Kirchner (current Deputy Grand Knight) will be going and I know members like Mike Jarrett, Cliff Miller, Ed Columbus and Greg Marquardt will be there as well. I look forward to going and representing our Council.

John Hernandez and his Golf League is beginning soon...Spring is in the air, the Royals are playing down in Arizona and it hasn't snowed in 2 months! Life is good gentlemen.

**Newsletter  
Deadline  
March 24, 2017**

**Yours in Christ**



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## Lenten Fish Fries St. Patrick's Day Feast



Knights of Columbus Council 4962 will host All You Can Eat Fish Fries on Fridays during Lent, except on March 17! Serving begins at 5:00 p.m. until 7:30 p.m.

- Fish Fries on March 3, 10, 24, 31 and April 7.
- Cost: \$10.00 for Adults; \$5.00 for children 5 – 12 Free for Children under 5 years of age.
- Menu includes: Fried and Baked Fish; add \$3.00 per order of Fried Shrimp, Beer, Pop and Dessert (available for an additional donation).

Profits from these dinners help support our many local charities. For more information – please call Greg Marquart at 816-803-9455.



## St. Theresa "The Little Flower" Auxiliary

**Noda Scherer  
President**

Dear Ladies:

With lent starting March 1<sup>st</sup> we will be starting the Fish Fries on Friday, March 3<sup>rd</sup>. Some of you will be getting called for desserts at our Dessert Table. Please know your help is always appreciated. You may bring your dessert from 8:00 a.m. to 12 Noon on Friday or around 4:00 p.m. Thanks again.

Our next meeting is Thursday, March 9<sup>th</sup> at 7:30 p.m. Please bring some items for our Easter Baskets. We will have the baskets ready for our raffle at the March 10<sup>th</sup> Fish Fry.

We are helping to supply needed items for Journey House which is a home for women who have just been released from prison and have no where else to go. The home is run by the Sisters of Carondalet. These women come out of prison with nothing but the clothes on their backs. The funding for this house has been cut by the Governor. So bring personal items: underwear, combs, brushes etc. The nuns have a resource for toothpaste and tooth brushes. Do not send those items. The nuns are trying to give these women a helping hand to become self sufficient.

Reminder if you have not paid your dues, please bring to the March 9<sup>th</sup> meeting. See you then.

## As always we are helping Knights help others,

# Good of the Order

- Mike Jarrett - Bob Slusher
- Harry Hernandez - David Konecny
- Lois Latz - Donne Lickteig
- John Neger - Peggy Neger - Joe Pils
- Patsy Smith - Jeanette Wood - Larry Kelly
- Janice Jarrett - Pete Zegers – Jerry Snow – Charlie Fisher – Cindy Sweetland

Please notify Bernie Lillig of any additions or deletions



Join St. Theresa the Little Flower Knights of Columbus Auxiliary #4962 for their annual Spring Tea on Sunday, March 19<sup>th</sup> from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. The Tea is always a lovely event to help brighten any remaining winter blues – just in time to usher in the new season. It will be held on the lower level of the Knights Hall. Cost is only \$12.00 in advance. Pre-paid reservations are required. Ticket purchase deadline is Sunday, March 12<sup>th</sup>. For more information and to purchase tickets – contact Joanne Ferdig at 816-769-0833



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## Fish Fries

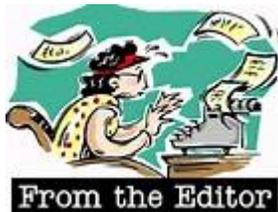


## Pope Pius XII Council 4962 Remembers

Our Lady of Lourdes Carry-Out Fish Fry. Every Friday during Lent from 4:00 – 7:00 p.m.

- Fish Fries on March 3, 10, 17, 24, 31 and April 7.
- Cost: \$8.00 per plate.
- Menu includes: Fried Tilapia, French Fries, Cole Slaw, Catsup and Tartar Sauce.

Profits from these dinners go to support renovation of the priest's residence. Want to volunteer to help? See Deacon Richard or call 816-679-8974.



By: Bernie Lillig

Just a note from your Editor. I hope that the Knights and Ladies have enjoyed the monthly newsletter. It is a pleasure to serve you. I have been Editor of Council 4962 off and on – mostly ON for the past twenty-five years. I started in 1992 when my friend Tom Landon persuaded me into this fulfilling job. I would like to turn the Newsletter Editor duties to another Knight at the beginning of the Fraternal Year. If you know Microsoft Word then you are all set. Please contact me if you are interested. Thank You.

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### Nathan

### Galate

Nathan P. Galate, age 95 of Lee's Summit, Missouri passed away peacefully at John Knox Village on Sunday, January 29, 2017. Nathan was born in Kansas City, Missouri on May 26, 1921. In 1942, at age 21 he enlisted in the US Army. He met his future bride, Evelyn (Schroeder) during training and they were married in Paris, Texas before he was sent to Germany where he was wounded in front line combat. During nearly 4 years of service he was awarded 2 Bronze Stars and a Purple Heart. Nathan rejoined his family and wife to commence his post-war trade as a meat cutter at Kansas City Milgrims and Safeway stores for 33 years. He lived a full and fruitful life for another 37 years, mostly in Grandview and Lee's Summit. He supported charitable and social functions such as Knights of Columbus Council 4962 and Little Sisters of the Poor in Raytown, Missouri. He was a 4th degree Knight.



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## **Calendar of Events For March**

<b>Date</b>	<b>Event</b>
01	Ash Wednesday
02	Council Officers Meeting
03	Fish Fry
09	General Council and Auxiliary Meeting
10	Game Night
10	Fish Fry
12	Day Light Savings Time Begins
17	St. Patrick Day Dinner
20	First Day of Spring
24	Newsletter Deadline
24	Fish Fry
31	Fish Fry